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WAR NEWS.

Admiral Stribling reports the result of an expedition which was sent on the 23d ult. to St. Marks, Florida, with the intention of proceeding up the river in support of the land forces that were to attempt the capture of the town of St. Marks. Owing to low water the vessels could not ascend the river to attack the forts according to the arrangement which had previously been made; and, moreover, on the 6th inst., the troops which had marched into the interior were discovered to be falling back, having encountered the Confederates in force. A naval detachment was sent on shore to hold the bridge until the army crossed, and when the crossing had been effected the bridge was burnt. Gen. Newton, who was in command of the land forces, lost in this expedition one hundred and fifty men, thirty of whom were taken prisoners. He is said, however, to have accomplished all that he contemplated. Admiral Stribling states that preparations were making by the Confederates to render the St. Marks River available for blockade-runners; but as the navy hold possession of the mouth of the river it is effectually closed against vessels carrying articles contraband of war.

A dispatch from Fortress Monroe reports the appearance of a Confederate force in the vicinity of the White House. A part of the force fired into the steamer Keyport on Tuesday morning whilst the latter was passing the high land on the Pamunkey River. The Keyport was considerably damaged. Gen. Kautz, who was sent out with his cavalry several days ago to open communication with Sheridan, was compelled to return without having accomplished his object. Kautz found Pickett's division in heavy force covering the approaches to the Chickahominy.

A steamer arrived at Fortress Monroe, which had sailed from Morehead City, on Monday afternoon, and reports that General Schofield was known to have moved out from Kinston, N. C., and that as she was steaming out to sea from Beaufort, all the flags of the war vessels there were hoisted.

The conflicting accounts as to a repulse of Sherman, and, on the other hand, if his progress and junction with Schofield still continue. The confirmation of the junction is said in some newspapers to have been received in Washington; and the Washington Chronicle, this morning says:—"The news we published yesterday respecting the occupation of Goldsborough by Sherman has been confirmed. He entered it without opposition, on Sunday last."

Nothing exciting reaches us this morning from the Potomac Army. The Confederates have erected a new battery near Cemetery Hill, which fires frequently upon passing trains. Monday they shot at some cars going from City Point to Hatcher's Run. The roads are becoming passable. A party of Sheridan's scouts were driven in from White Oak Swamp.

The steamers Stepping Stones, Heliotrope and Resolute entered Mattox Creek, Va., at daylight on the 16th, and landed armed patrols and scoured the country, finding on the south of the creek some of Mosby's cavalry, stationed in that vicinity, with whom they had a skirmish. Afterwards, the expedition destroyed three schooners under a fire of musketry. The expedition returned after capturing some tobacco, smooth bore muskets, cartridges, caps, &c.

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